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Lafayette Park, Statue of Thomas Hart Benton
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Location: Lafayette Park, St. Louis City, Missouri

HISTORICAL AND ARCHITECTURAL INFORMATION

The following information was recorded by Alexander Piaget and Charles van Ravenswaay at the time the photograph was taken:

Bronze statue of Thomas Hart Benton, by Harriet Hosmer from St. Louis. Cast in bronze at the Royal Foundry at Munich and erected in 1868. For more information see Missouri: A Guide to the "Show Me" State (New York: Duell, Sloan and Pearce, 1941), p. 317.

PROJECT INFORMATION

The Piaget-van Ravenswaay Survey consists of a number of photographs, primarily of sites and structures in Missouri, which were taken before 1938 by Alexander Piaget and after that by Paul Piaget, both in conjunction with Charles van Ravenswaay. Photographs of buildings were incorporated into the HABS collection in 1985 by Laura Rupp and in 1986 by Deborah Fulton, HABS historians. A master list is available in the [REDACTED] records for MO-1800.